





## REGIONAL FUGITIVE TASK FORCES


### *CATCH OF THE WEEK*

Week of March 28th, 2005

### *Taking the Worst of the Worst Off the Streets*

<div style="background-color: #e0e0e0; padding: 5px;"><b>Capital Area Regional Fugitive Task Force</b></div> <p>Robert Young was being sought on arrest warrants in connection with the armed kidnaping of a woman from her residence in Southeast Washington, D.C. on March 21, 2005, and also for the shooting of an employee during the robbery of a Washington, D.C. liquor store on March 20, 2005. On March 21, 2005, the case was turned over to the Capital Area Regional Fugitive Task Force (CARFTF) for apprehension. Over the next ten days, investigators from the CARFTF and the U.S. Marshals Technical Operations Group (TOG) tracked Young from D.C. to South Carolina and back. Finally, on March 31, 2005, at approximately 3:00 a.m., investigators surrounded an apartment in Southeast, Washington, D.C. As investigators approached the front door, Young and an associate stepped out outside, then, after seeing the investigators, retreated back inside the apartment and turned off all the lights. Investigators breached the door and apprehended Young, who was found hiding in the master bedroom with a cocked and loaded .45 caliber semi-automatic pistol. Also recovered at the scene was a loaded sawed-off shotgun.</p>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p><b>Robert Young</b></p> <p><b>Wanted for Armed Kidnaping and Armed Robbery</b></p>  </div>
<div style="background-color: #e0e0e0; padding: 5px;"><b>Pacific Southwest Regional Fugitive Task Force</b></div> <p>Aaron Eli Pachito was arrested on March 31, 2005 in San Diego, California by members of the Pacific Southwest Regional Fugitive Task Force (PSWRFTF), the U.S. Marshals Technical Operations Group (TOG), and officers of the San Diego Police Department (SDPD). Pachito was wanted by the SDPD for rape by force and burglary in connection with a March 21, 2005 incident during which he allegedly picked the lock of a female victim's residence, entered the residence and repeatedly raped the victim. Pachito had been released from jail in Los Angeles the day before, after serving nine months in jail for resisting arrest and theft. The SDPD obtained an arrest warrant for Pachito and requested the assistance of the PSWRFTF in locating and apprehending Pachito. With the assistance of TOG Inspectors, Task Force investigators located Pachito in a vehicle parked outside a San Diego residence and, with the assistance of SDPD Officers, executed a vehicle stop and took Pachito into custody.</p>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p><b>Aaron Eli Pachito</b></p> <p><b>Wanted for Rape and Burglary</b></p> </div>

Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force	
<p>On March 23, 2005, members of the Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force (GLRFTF), with critical assistance from U.S. Marshals Technical Operations Group, located and arrested John Perteet in Calumet City, Illinois. Perteet was wanted by the South Suburban Major Crimes Task Force for two separate counts of first degree murder. Perteet also had a second warrant for a narcotics violation and a third warrant for a parole violation. The case was referred to the Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force for apprehension. Perteet and two other individuals are alleged to have killed a rival drug dealer on a street corner in Riverdale, Illinois. Approximately 12 hours later, shortly after the Police were finished processing the crime scene, Perteet and two other individuals gunned down a second rival drug dealer at the same street corner as the first homicide. Subsequent to his arrest by investigators from the GLRFTF, Perteet confessed to his involvement in both crimes.</p>	 <p><b>John Perteet</b></p> <p><b>Wanted for Murder and Narcotics Violations</b></p>

New York/New Jersey Regional Fugitive Task Force	
<p>Courtney Taylor, who was born in Jamaica and reportedly one of the leaders of the “Champagne Crew” street gang, was wanted by the DEA in Phoenix, Arizona for questioning in a triple homicide which had occurred in Tempe, Arizona in July of 2000. Originally, Taylor was a witness/defendant in the case, in which three Mexican nationals were murdered during a drug deal in Arizona. Taylor was arrested on narcotics charges and received a sentence of a year and a half on a cooperation agreement in regard to the triple homicide, and deported. After further investigation, information developed that Taylor allegedly ordered the hit on the three Mexican nationals and had re-entered the United States. On December 2, 2004, a warrant was issued for Taylor on violation of probation and illegal re-entry. On March 30, 2005, the NY/NJ Regional Fugitive Task Force, with assistance from the U.S. Marshals Technical Operation Group, arrested Taylor in Brooklyn, New York. Seized at the time of his arrest were twenty pounds of marijuana.</p>	<p><b>Champagne Crew gang member</b></p>  <p><b>Courtney Taylor</b></p> <p><b>Wanted for Illegal Re-entry Following Deportation</b></p>

### **Southeast Regional Fugitive Task Force**

On March 22, 2005, members of the Southeast Regional Fugitive Task Force (SERFTF), in conjunction with the U.S. Marshals Technical Operations Group (TOG) and ATF, arrested Malik Kirby in Decatur, Georgia. Kirby was wanted by the ATF for the armed robbery of a federally licensed firearms dealer who was operating a pawn shop in Fairburn, Georgia. On November 10, 2004, three males entered the pawn shop displaying weapons, tied up the store's employee, and then stole twenty seven guns. Police were later able to lift several prints from the scene and match them to Kirby. With the assistance of TOG, SERFTF investigators were able to locate the area where Kirby was staying and while initiating surveillance, spotted an individual fitting Kirby's description at a nearby gas station. After he was positively identified, investigators attempted to surround Kirby, who fled on foot and ran across six lanes of traffic. SERFTF members gave chase, both in vehicles and on foot, and were able to capture Kirby several hundred yards away. Kirby's criminal history includes nine prior arrests for assault, burglary, robbery, weapons offenses, and obstruction.



**Malik Kirby**

**Wanted for Armed  
Robbery**